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**NEWS
RELEASE**

06/22/2021

32nd Traffic Fatality

Date: 06/19/21

Time: 9:25 PM

Location: 8500 Alameda

Unit 1 Vehicle: 2016, Dodge, Charger,

Unit 1 Driver: 29-year-old Jose Francisco Lozano, 11000 block of Montana

Pedestrian: 60-year-old male/ Identification pending (**DECEASED**)

Officers with the El Paso Police Department's Special Traffic Investigations Unit responded to assist Mission Valley patrol with a traffic fatality. Preliminary investigation revealed Unit 1 vehicle was traveling eastbound on Alameda. The unidentified pedestrian attempted to cross Alameda at the 8500 block, not in a crosswalk. Unit 1 struck the pedestrian in the roadway, causing severe injuries. The pedestrian was transported to Del Sol Medical Center, where he died from his injuries.

This collision is the 32nd traffic fatality this year compared to 33 at this time last year.

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